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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 36-41 and 98-117 are canceled without prejudice at this time as a result of the previous restriction requirement.

Claim 1. (twice amended):

An article comprising a [porous] polymeric tube having a circumference wherein the circumference of said [porous] polymeric tube increases in response to the application of Internal pressure up to a second circumference, thereafter the <u>polymeric tube itself limits further growth in the circumference so as to remain[ing]</u> substantially unchanged with further increasing internal pressure.

Claim 33. (twice amended):

An article comprising a [porous] polymeric tube having a first circumference at a first internal pressure of atmospheric pressure, a second circumference at a second internal pressure of greater than atmospheric pressure, said second circumference being greater than the first circumference, wherein upon applying an internal pressure greater than the second internal pressure, the [porous] polymeric tube itself limits further growth to [still] substantially [has] the second circumference.

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